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CLEARINGHOUSE RULE 06-046

Comments

[<u>NOTE</u>: All citations to "Manual" in the comments below are to the <u>Administrative Rules Procedures Manual</u>, prepared by the Revisor of Statutes Bureau and the Legislative Council Staff, dated January 2005.]

2. Form, Style and Placement in Administrative Code

a. Chapter PSC 8 does not contain a single complete sentence and does not state what is required or allowed. Since this rule-making order is remedial, and since it affects ch. PSC 8, this would be a good opportunity to remedy that deficiency. Who is required to file these reports and when? What must the reports contain? Alternatively, the rule could create s. PSC 8.07 (intro.) stating that the listed reports are required under other rules, and provided citations to the pertinent rules for each listed report.

b. In SECTION 10, Each should be moved to the beginning.

c. Should s. PSC 134.13 (1) (b) (intro.) refer to "A bill under par. (a)" rather than "The bill under par. (a)"? Also, in the treatment clause of SECTION 14 and in the text, "(1)" should be inserted before "(b)".

d. SECTION 15 repeals s. PSC 136.01 (1). Another SECTION should be added to renumber s. PSC 136.01 (2) to be s. PSC 136.01.

e. In s. PSC 166.015, the space between "to" and "the" is stricken, presumably in error. Also, the last sentence of that provision should refer to "this chapter" rather than "these rules."